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Statement of Legal Newspaper Ownership and Circulation

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1. TITLE OF NEWSPAPER Plainsman		2. DATE 9-30-11
3. FREQUENCY OF ISSUE Daily except Mon.	3A. NO. OF ISSUES PUBLISHED ANNUALLY 313	3B. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE $ 167.21 (Mail)
4. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF KNOWN OFFICE OF PUBLICATION (Street, City, County, State and ZIP+4 Code) (Not printers) 49 3rd St SE PO Box 1278 Beadle County Huron, SD 57350-1278		
5. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE HEADQUARTERS OR GENERAL BUSINESS OFFICES OF THE PUBLISHER (Not printers) 49 3rd St SE, PO. Box 1278 Huron, SD 57350-1278		
6. FULL NAME OF PUBLISHER: Mark E. Davis		

7. OWNER (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and list on the back of this form the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual must be given.

FULL NAME	COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS
News Media Corporation	211 Hwy 37 E Rochelle, IL 61068

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B. PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION 1. Sales through dealers and carriers, street vendors and counter sales.	3581	4001
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C. TOTAL PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION (Sum of 9B1 and 9B2)	5211	5639
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2. Return from News Agents	0	0
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I swear that the statements made by me are true, correct, and complete:

Mark E. Davis
(Signature)

Publisher
(Title)

State of South Dakota)
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County of Beadle)

Sworn to before me this 30th day of Sept., 2011

Teresa Bjerke
Notary Public

My commission expires: 8/27/2016

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